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Navigability Report dec 1979 - att to Menominee Back 40 consultation request.pdf

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Kim and Dina,

EPA recently received two letters regarding Back Forty mine, which I am forwarding for your information.

The first is a letter from Senator Baldwin. The second is from the Menominee Tribe requesting Corps and EPA consultation regarding to the proposed mine. Enclosed with the letter is a 1979 consultant's report on navigable waters.

I am also attaching a statement/Press Release from the Tribal Chair on the matter.

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